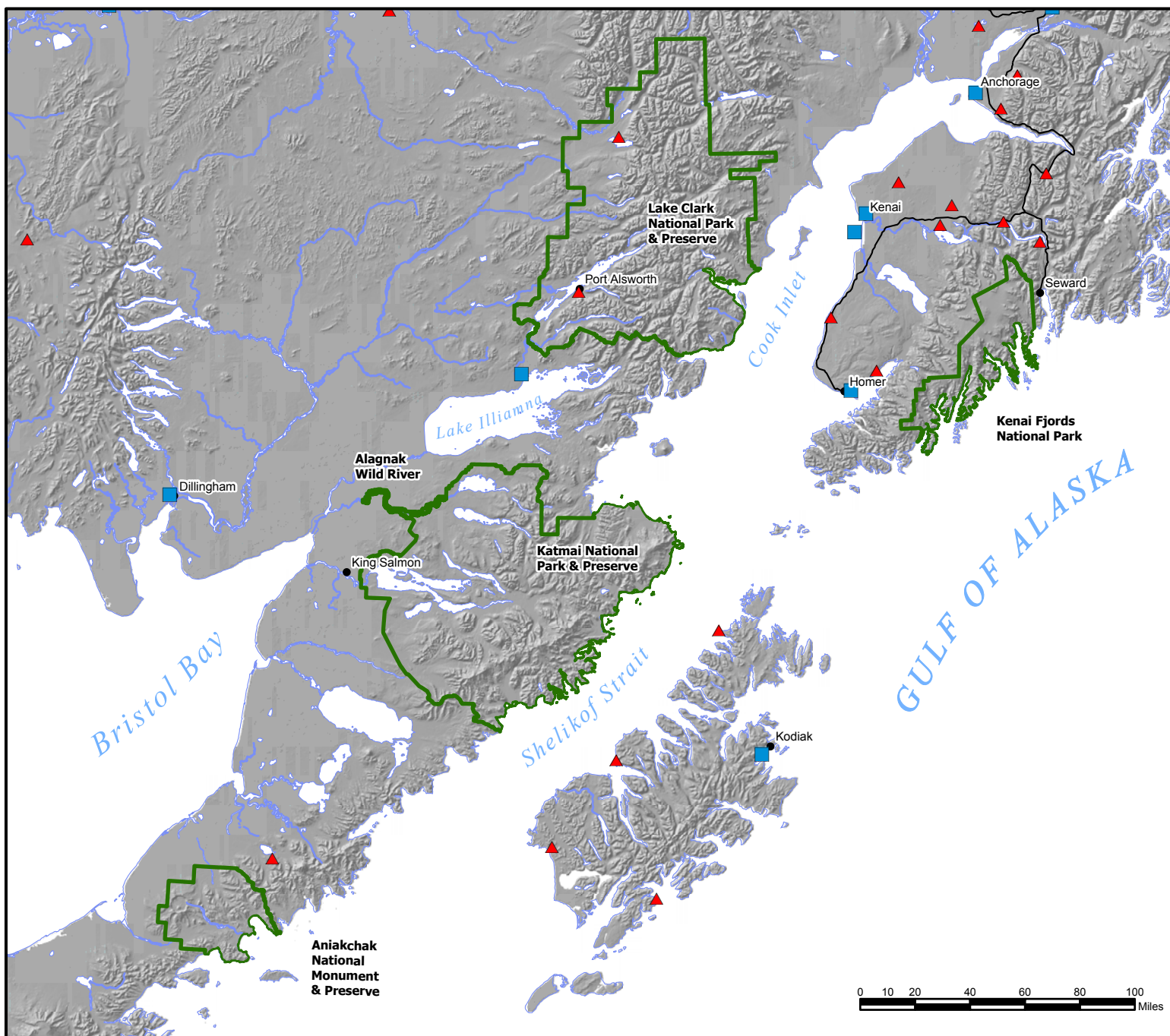


Fire Weather Stations Southwest Alaska

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- ▲ Remote Automated Weather Stations (RAWS)
- Manual Stations

Description:
Remote Automated Weather Stations (RAWS) monitor temperature, precipitation, wind speed and direction, fuel temperature and solar radiation. Federal land managers use these data to predict fire behavior and monitor fuels; resource managers also use these data to monitor environmental conditions. RAWS data is permanently archived at the Western Regional Climatic Center (WRCC). Both the RAWS and manual stations are operated by federal and state agencies.

Source:
RAWS and manual weather stations from Bureau of Land Management and Alaska Regional Support Office, National Park Service, March 26, 2003.

